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Board Offers \$10,000 Reward

At its meeting Tuesday, the Board of Supervisors authorized a \$10,000-reward for information leading to the arrest and conviction of the person or persons responsible for killing 34-year-old, Hawaiian Gardens resident, Tauruson McMillian.

"We extend our deepest condolences to Mr. McMillian's family and friends during this sad and difficult time," said Supervisor Mark Ridley-Thomas. "It is my sincere hope that this reward will encourage witnesses and anyone with information to step forward to help bring closure to this family."

Last January, after leaving his friend's home in Compton, McMillian was driving North on Wilmington Avenue in Compton when he was struck in the head by gunfire causing him to lose control of his car and crash into a fence. McMillian was pronounced dead at the scene.

Los Angeles County Sheriff's Deputies believe McMillian was mistaken as a gang member because of his limited edition, red Chevrolet Monte Carlo.

The Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department is urging witnesses or anyone with information to contact the Los Angeles Sheriff's Department Homicide Bureau: (323) 890-5000 or (888) 412-7463.

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